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SERVICE METHOD AND RECORDING MEDIUM

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Sir :

In response to the Official Action of October 13, 2004, in which a three month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on January 13, 2005, applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections set forth in the above-mentioned Official Action in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 2 of this Reply.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this Reply.

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